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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANT: Michael Kaus  
SERIAL NO.: 10/091,050 EXAMINER: Craig W. Kronenthal  
FILED: March 5, 2005 ART UNIT: 2627  
FOR: METHOD OF SEGMENTING A THREE-DIMENSIONAL  
STRUCTURE CONTAINED IN AN OBJECT, NOTABLY FOR  
MEDICAL IMAGE ANALYSIS

*Submission  
for PCC  
filed 1/26/06*

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated November 2, 2005, the Applicant  
hereby requests amendment of the above-identified application as follows: